

**6th Comparative Law Workshop**

**“The principle of legal certainty from a comparative perspective”**

**Budapest, Hungary**

**23 November 2018 (Friday)**

co-organizers:

Eötvös Loránd University (ELTE) Faculty of Law

University of Florence, Law Department (PhD Programme in Legal Sciences)

Workshop venue:

ELTE Law Faculty, 1053 Budapest, Egyetem tér 1-3.

Room ‘Kari Tanácsterem’ (ground floor)

9.00-9.30 Opening

Chair: Balázs Fekete (co-organizer, ELTE Faculty of Law)

Alessandro Simoni (Head of the PhD Programme in Legal Sciences, University of Florence)

Katalin Kelemen (co-organizer, Örebro University School of Law, Psychology and Social Work)

9.30-10.45 Section I: *Judicial Approaches*

Chair: Alessandro Simoni

*The judge and the legality principle in criminal law. A comparative overview of the Italian experience*

Alberto Cappellini (PhD candidate, Law Department, University of Florence)

*The obligation to reason a judgment and the standard of proof required for in civil law proceedings regarding causal connection*

Mónika Csöndes (PhD, Assistant Professor, Corvinus University of Budapest, and senior advisor at the Curia of Hungary)

10.45-12.00 Section II: *Constitutional Law Approaches I*

Chair: Katalin Kelemen

*Legal certainty - an immanent element of human rights?*

Márton Matyasovszky-Németh (PhD candidate, ELTE Faculty of Law)

*Constitutionalization of human rights and the principle of legal certainty in the European civil law systems*

Milica V. Matijević (PhD, Law Department, University of Florence)

12.00-13.00 Lunch

13.00-14.15 Section III: *Constitutional Law Approaches II*

Chair: Katalin Kelemen

*The Uncertain Boundary. Constitutional Limits to the Primacy of EU Law vis-à-vis the Safeguarding of the Effectiveness of Supranational Law*

Daniele Pellegrini (PhD candidate, Law Department, University of Florence)

*Legal certainty during transition periods in the practice of the Hungarian Constitutional Court*

Emese Szilágyi (Junior Research Fellow, Hungarian Academy of Sciences Centre for Social Sciences)

14.15-14.45 Coffee break

14.45-16.00 Section IV: *Conceptual Approaches*

Chair: Balázs Fekete

*Pluralism as an alternative to the ‘one-way view’ of legal certainty*

Felipe Pante Leme de Campos (PhD candidate, Law Department, University of Florence)

*Legal certainties: Towards a plural understanding of legal certainty*

Lakshmi Gopal (Lecturer, Martin Luther University of Halle-Wittenberg)

16.00 Closing

Participation is free upon registration, please register at fekete.balazs@ajk.elte.hu.

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